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## **RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action of September 14, 2007. It is filed contemporaneously with a Petition for a three month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, with fee pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(a) extending the date for response to March 14, 2008.

The Applicant has no amendments to put forward at this time. The Applicant wishes to present arguments on the issues of enablement and obviousness. Those remarks begin on the next page, page 2, of this submission.

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